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**PATENT APPLICATION**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Xudong YAO et al.

Group Art Unit: 1645

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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Director for the U.S. PTO  
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Date: May 12, 2005

Sir:

Prior to calculation of the filing fee and examination of this application, please  
amend the above-identified application as follows: